

GOVERNMENT OF TELANGANA
ABSTRACT

Forest Department – Wildlife – Eco-Tourism Projects – Mrugavani National Park, Chilkur Eco-Tourism Project in Ranga Reddy District, Telangana – Project awarded to the Developers M/s Laxmi Jyothi Eco-Tourism and Jungle Resorts Pvt. Ltd. – certain facilities inside the National Park –Revised Orders – Issued.

ENVIRONMENT, FORESTS, SCIENCE & TECHNOLOGY (FOR.I) DEPARTMENT

G.O.Ms.No. 17

Dated: 26-04-2017
Read the following

- 1).From the CWLW Rc. No.: 56877/2010/WL-3, Dt: 2.5.2015.
- 2).From the PCCF Ref. No.: 56877/2010/WL-2, Dt:26.6.2015.
- 3).Govt.Memo.No.2844/For.I (1)/2015,dt: 18.2.2016
- 4). VC & MD, TSTDC Lr. No. 6.5.2502/HDM/2011/Vol.III, Dt: 15.07.2016.
- 5).Prl.C.C.F (WL) & CWLW Rc.No.56377/2010/WL-2, dt.18.8.16.

O R D E R:

Under the circumstances reported by the Prl. Chief Conservator of Forests (WL) & Chief Wildlife Warden, Telangana in his letter 5th read above, Govt. after careful examination of the matter have decided to accept the recommendations for implementing the Eco-tourism Project inside the Mrugavani National Park. Accordingly, permission is here by accorded to the Principal Chief Conservator of Forests (WL) & Chief Wildlife Warden to provide the following facilities inside the Mrugavani National Park Chilkur to the visitors sponsored by the Developer, i.e., M/s Laxmi Jyothi Eco-Tourism & Jungle Resorts Pvt. Ltd. subject to compliance with the following conditions:-

- i) The developer shall be permitted to bring the visitors from his resort in their vehicle for drive in the National Park to view Wildlife. An amount of Rs.10,000/- per month shall be paid as entry fee by the developer to the Forest Department. A maximum of 90 trips per month only shall be allowed. The fee shall be considered for revision after (2) years.
- ii) The developer shall take up the work of giving facelift to main entrance of the National Park which shall include a ticket counter, a security room, waiting lounge with wash rooms and parking area.

The design and estimates for the above facility shall be prepared by the developer in consultation with the Telangana State Forest Development Corporation Limited, and Chief Wildlife Warden (CWLW). The work shall be executed by the Developer as per the approved design within a time frame prescribed by the Chief Wildlife Warden.

- iii) One (20 seat) (Bharat-IV emission norms) vehicle for Safari Drive shall be purchased by the developer and handed over to the Forest Department.
- iv) The developer shall be permitted to upgrade / improve the existing cafeteria in the park and run it. The amount to be paid by the Developer for running the cafeteria and conditions to be imposed for running & maintenance of the cafeteria shall be decided by the Steering Committee.

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- v) The two existing Mud houses, Nature Camp area, Nature Trail, etc., shall not be given to the Developer on lease but shall be maintained by the Forest Department.
- vi) Preferential treatment shall be given to the Developer for reservation of one cottage up to (3) months in advance and the 2nd cottage can be reserved up to one month in advance (for week days only). This 2nd cottage shall not be allowed to be booked by the developer for weekends and holidays. The charges to be paid for reserving the cottages shall be fixed by the Steering Committee. The mud houses shall be for their use only and no night stay shall be permitted.
- vii) The Emergency repair & maintenance of roads, culverts etc., shall be done by the Developer.

2. The Principal Chief Conservator of Forests (WL) & Chief Wildlife Warden, Telangana and the Vice Chairman & Managing Director, Telangana State Forest Development Corporation Limited, shall take necessary further action accordingly.

(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF TELANGANA)

B.R. MEENA
SPECIAL CHIEF SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT

To

The Principal Chief Conservator of Forests (WL) &
Chief Wildlife Warden Telangana, Hyderabad.

The Vice Chairman & Managing Director,
Telangana State Forest Development Corporation Limited,
Hyderabad.

The Principal Chief Conservator of Forests (HoFF),
Telangana State, Hyderabad.

The Director, Eco-Tourism, TSTDC Ltd., Hyderabad.

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The YAT&C Department,
Telangana State Secretariat, Hyderabad.

The M/s Laxmi Jyothi,
Eco-Tourism and Jungle Resorts Pvt. Ltd.
(through PCCF (WL) & CWLW, T.S., Hyderabad

Copy to:

The PS to Hon'ble Minister Forests & Environment.
The PS to Spl. Chief Secretary, EFS&T Dept.,
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